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It is intended to make the *SHELBY SENTINEL* a first-class Family Paper, an independent organ of party, devoted to General News, Literature and Morality. Appreciating the necessity for a Superior Newspaper in this part of Kentucky, we will send every energy to make the *SENTINEL* acceptable to all classes. To those who have a desire for partisan strife, our paper will be a welcome guest. In the angry mutterings of discord, will be hushed in the endeavor to heal all painful wounds, which years of war have caused. To those who paper we naturally expect the assistance and cooperation of the people of Shelby. While the local interests of this section will not be neglected, we will aim to advance the general prosperity of the State.

The general interests and welfare of the county can in no better way be advanced than through the medium of a newspaper.

Devoting our attention to all topics of the day, we will and independently discuss them. To prevent any misconception as to the position which the *SENTINEL* will occupy, we will state, that our approval and support will be given to all mild and conciliatory policy, condemning all radical, revolutionary or unjust measures. Believing that this is the only course which will result in permanent prosperity to the country and that these views are such as the people of Kentucky naturally and heartily endorse, we shall uphold and defend them at all times. Firm in the opinion that we can make our paper acceptable, we ask a liberal patronage.

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Independent of sectarian or partisan attachment, free to criticize, condemn, or approve, any and all measures that may come up for discussion.

## The Fourth of July.

Ninety years have flown since the great bell hanging in Independence Hall in Philadelphia, rang out the glad tidings of nations birth.

History has made us familiar with the scenes of that occasion, but, as each anniversary recurs, it is but right that we should dwell upon the incidents attending an event fraught with such weighty consequences.

At 12 o'clock, on the fourth of July, 1776, the thirteen colonies by a unanimous vote, resolved to declare themselves FREE AND INDEPENDENT STATES. This action was consummated by drawing up the declaration, of world wide fame, the Declaration of Independence. That was an exciting day in the Quaker City. The citizens were crowding the streets, with wonder and with fear discussing the problem of the hour. It was known, that, upon that day, the final vote would be taken, and well might it cause solicitude, fear and trembling in the hearts of the people. A great untried career was opening before them, and mighty issues presented themselves.

It was a time for calm decision. Not hastily should men or nations rush into that which may overwhelm them. If the assembled Congress decreed the passage of the Declaration, the tidings was to be proclaimed by the ringing of the bell.—The old bellman placing a boy in the door of the hall, took up his station in the steeple prepared to ring out the joyous tones of freedom. Long did he wait for the signal, but it came not. Impatient with watching, the grey haired patriot shook his head sorrowfully, believing Congress would not dare to brave the danger. But suddenly a shout arose from below. It was the ardent boy watcher, clapping his hands and crying "Ring! Ring!" With energy the old bellman hurried on hundred times backwards and forwards the bell whose every tone proclaimed "Liberty throughout the Land." The quiet Quaker City that night blazed with enthusiasm. Cannons poured forth peal after peal, bonfires blazed, and excitement ran high. But not alone did Philadelphia rejoice in hopes of liberty, but camps, cities, towns and churches greeted the glad news with cheers and shouts of joy. On the 9th of July, Washington caused it to be read at the head of each brigade of his army. The soldiers shouted for it, and were cheered to go on to victory, or accept defeat in its defence. The people welcomed it as the message of deliverance from tyranny, and pulled down in derision the leaden statue of the King. We can thank God to day, that we are still free from kingly rule. Very nearly one century has elapsed since the birth day of American Independence. Varied scenes have marked our progress as a nation. We have fought foreign foes, and conquered, but sad as is the confession, civil war has disgraced us. We would not dwell upon the thought, but take courage in the hope of a prosperous future. We would use our feeble influence to urge upon the nation, a spirit of conciliation. Let the scenes of the past few bloody years, not be dwelt upon, but let the veil of forgiveness and the mantle of charity hide all sectional feelings. Let the present Congress learn a lesson from the past, and realize that more can be gained by conciliation, than by stern, unrelenting measures. Long enough has our country slumbered. Let her arise in her strength and beauty, throw off the shackles of party strife, and take upon her the mighty destiny designed by Providence.

GENERAL WADE HAMPTON.—A correspondent of the Memphis Argus, writing from Egg's Point, Mississippi, says:

Ten or twelve miles below here, at Lake Washington, lives, in quiet retirement, Lieutenant General Wade Hampton, the second greatest cavalry chieftain of the late Confederacy. He owns two or three extensive plantations, upon which he divides his time, devoting himself chiefly to the congenial pursuits of a representative Southern gentleman—books, planting and the chase. His former slaves, of whom he owned several hundred, true to their ancient allegiance and their own interests, remain with the General, and are represented as contented and industrious.

SUDDEN DEATH.—On last Tuesday evening, says the Central (Lebanon) Kentuckian, Mr. B. Edmond, one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Lebanon, was attending to his usual business near his residence. About 4 o'clock he started for his house; walking a few rods he sat down to rest. After remaining a few moments he again started toward home; again he had to stop. By this time W. B. England, being near, approached him, and asked him if he was unwell; his answer was, not much. By the aid of Mr. England he again started for his residence, but, before he reached home, the spirit had departed.

SHELBY SENTINEL.—We have received two numbers of a new paper bearing the above title, just started at Shelbyville, Ky., by JOHN T. HEARN, editor and proprietor. It presents a neat typographical appearance, and is ably edited. In politics, it is purely independent. It is to be hoped that the good people of Shelby will give it that hearty support which it merits.—*Maysville Bulletin*.

The National Intelligencer has the latest news as to the president's position. It represents him as opposed to all conditions precedent to the admission of loyal representatives of the Southern States.

## Miscellaneous.

AN IMPPOSTER.—We deem it our duty to call the attention of our readers to the doings of a person, who has made himself quite notorious in this section, by his acts of villainy. In our advertising column, a reward is offered for the arrest of a man known generally as S. D. Cobb, by Mr. Thomas Wells, one of his victims. From Mr. Wells and others, we have some particulars of the acts of this imposter. This individual, supposed to be a resident of the North, made his first appearance in Kentucky last November, at Leesburg, Harrison county. He came there from Cincinnati, bought a buggy and horse, and went from there to Madison county, to look, as he claimed for a location. By his insinuating address, and apparently flourishing financial condition, he gained credit extensively, traded rapidly, bought largely, and addressed and married, a worthy young lady, Miss Sallie, daughter of H. N. Wells, the gentleman at whose house he was living. Cobb went from there to Henry county, purchased a farm, paid one thousand dollars cash; continued trading extensively, gaining the confidence of all with whom he had dealings. Got in debt, whenever and wherever possible, got all the money he could from his wife, and sold six miles, the property of his father-in-law before he left.

To keep up appearances as well as credit, Cobb came to Shelbyville, bought of Mr. Frazier his dwelling house for five thousand dollars, paying some money down. Contracted with Messrs. R. M. & J. Layson to fit up the house for a dry good establishment, claiming that a partner was in New York purchasing largely. The claim of the builders upon Cobb, amounts to five hundred dollars. Determining to do business on time, Cobb went to Mr. Shadrack's Watch and Jewelry store, described and obtained a watch, the property of Mr. Thomas Wells. This and saddle obtained from Mr. T. Wilson, not paid for added to the stealings of the adroit imposter. Cobb went to Frankfort took from the express office there, a carpet sack, marked to S. B. Wells, which contained suits of clothing, the property of another person, but which Cobb had ordered to Frankfort. The last heard of S. D. Cobb, was at the livery stable of B. R. Allen in Lexington. It is supposed he went from there to Cincinnati.

In addition to the information furnished us by Cobb's other victims, we have received a letter from the lady whom he so sadly deceived and married, requesting us to freely expose the villainy perpetrated by the vile imposter, for the benefit of unsuspected females throughout the country. She desires that we give publicity to his acts. With sorrow she confesses—"Little did I think that I was marrying a man whose aim was to rob my father and all with whom he had any dealings; but my prayer is, that justice will overtake him."

Cobb took with him, the likeness of himself and wife in a very fine case. She is dressed in a pale blue silk, trimmed with large black wrist furs. He also left at his home in Henry county, the picture of a young lady that he said lived in Virginia. Cobb claims to be a Virginian, he is evidently not of the first families, and rather an unfair specimen of the people of that notable old State. We hope soon to hear of his arrest. It is supposed that the amount of things taken by him, was about twelve thousand dollars. Our exchanges will do well to call attention to S. D. Cobb, to prevent his operation in other parts of the country. A description is given in the reward offered by Mr. Wells.

GENERAL WADE HAMPTON.—A correspondent of the Memphis Argus, writing from Egg's Point, Mississippi, says:

It was not the writer's fortune to be present during the entire examination, but he must be permitted to bear his testimony to the proficiency of the pupils in those departments conducted by Misses Bunker and Baldwin. The young ladies evidently had studied with an energy commensurate with the difficulties of their course, and no less evidently had obtained a thorough and accurate knowledge of their text books.

As the examination progressed, one thing was evident, that, in the instructions imparted, strict regard had been given to the insuring of clearness of conception and of a full and complete digestion of subject matter passed over. The results of this mode of instruction has always been very marked, long after graduation, in the practical intelligence of the pupils of this Academy. The Mathematical classes of Dr. B. P. Tevis acquitted themselves, as they have always done, with honor to themselves and to their preceptor. No one, at all acquainted with the system of teaching practiced in this department, can fail to understand the thoroughness of the young ladies in these branches so often totally neglected in female education, or, at the best, through the apathy of the teacher and the despair of the pupil, but very superficially pursued from beginning to end. The examination in chemistry was, as ever, brilliant and successful throughout. We have never, in any College, male or female, witnessed an examination upon this complex and difficult study, such readiness of response or such easy and graceful manipulation in practical experiment. This class is under the personal charge of the Principal.

OF THE ESSAYS OF THE GRADUATING CLASS, WE HAVE TIME ONLY TO SAY THAT THEY WERE CHARACTERIZED BY SOLID SENSE, A GRACEFUL STYLE, AND CLEAR, DISTINCT, AND IMPRESSIVE DELIVERY. OF THESE LADIES, MISS GRUBBS READ THE SALUTORY, MISS ALDERSON, THE

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### Science Hill Academy.

The examination of the pupils of this school began on the morning of June 4th and closed with the usual commencement exercises on the afternoon of the 12th.

To those present it was evident that in none of the various departments, literary, scientific or musical, had there been the least declension from the efficiency and the success of former years. The civil war just passed, has left unmarred the reputation and the influence of an institution resting deep in the confidence of our people; and basing its claims to patronage not only upon the intellectual training of its pupils, but upon the still higher merits of their thorough moral and religious education.

Forty years have gone since Science Hill Academy was established in our community, and to-day the whole Western and Southern people are proud of its history and its fame; for its halls have been the nursery in which, beneath the watchful eye of faithful guardians, their daughters have developed the rich graces of learning and of piety. Of the Principal of this institution, nothing can be said that is not already known. Those peculiar gifts of mind and heart, by which she has been enabled to exalt this school to a position of eminence unrivaled by any other west of the Alleghany Mountains, and no more familiar to the citizens of Shelbyville than to hundreds and thousands of others whose gratitude can find no better expression than in an endearing remembrance of her counsels and an affectionate reverence of her name. The teachers associated with her in the management of the institution are such as one of her own skillfulness in the instruction and government of youth would naturally call around her. Order, system, industry, firmness and gentleness together with high moral and mental culture, are the great secretes of their success in guiding those committed to their charge to the love of learning and the practice of virtue. No one conversant with the internal, every-day life at Science Hill can have failed to observe that it is the silent, sympathetic example of earnest, methodical, conscientious preceptors, no less than the active exercise of their authority that diffuses throughout the whole household a spirit of energy and labor. Add to all this the invaluable influence resulting from the kindness characterizing their free, personal intercourse with the young ladies around them, and, above all, the lessons that are imparted, morning and evening, from the Holy Scriptures, and by verbal instruction upon the most minute points of practical life, as well as upon the higher obligations of Christian duty, and it is not so difficult to understand why it is, that, long before leaving the halls of Science Hill, its pupils are marked for so many of the graces of manner, mind and heart that distinguish them in society, where the world demands of them the fruits of their early education.

OF THE EXAMINATION OF THE DIFFERENT CLASSES, IT IS NOT, OF COURSE, PRACTICABLE TO SPEAK IN DETAIL. THE STUDIES PURSUED DURING THE YEAR ENBRACED A CURRICULUM EXTENDING THROUGHOUT A WIDE RANGE OF LITERATURE, PHILOSOPHY AND SCIENCE.

IT WAS NOT THE WRITER'S FORTUNE TO BE PRESENT DURING THE ENTIRE EXAMINATION, BUT HE MUST BE PERMITTED TO BEAR HIS TESTIMONY TO THE PROFICIENCY OF THE PUPILS IN THOSE DEPARTMENTS CONDUCTED BY MISSSES BUNKER AND BALDWIN. THE YOUNG LADIES EVIDENTLY HAD STUDIED WITH AN ENERGY COMMENSURATE WITH THE DIFFICULTIES OF THEIR COURSE, AND NO LESS EVIDENTLY HAD OBTAINED A THOROUGH AND ACCURATE KNOWLEDGE OF THEIR TEXT BOOKS.

AS THE EXAMINATION PROGRESSSED, ONE THING WAS EVIDENT, THAT, IN THE INSTRUCTIONS IMPARTED, STRICT REGARD HAD BEEN GIVEN TO THE INSURING OF CLEARNESS OF CONCEPTION AND OF A FULL AND COMPLETE DIGESTION OF SUBJECT MATTER PASSED OVER. THE RESULTS OF THIS MODE OF INSTRUCTION HAS ALWAYS BEEN VERY MARKED, LONG AFTER GRADUATION, IN THE PRACTICAL INTELLIGENCE OF THE PUPILS OF THIS ACADEMY. THE MATHEMATICAL CLASSES OF DR. B. P. TEVIS ACQUITTED THEMSELVES, AS THEY HAVE ALWAYS DONE, WITH HONOR TO THEMSELVES AND TO THEIR PRECEPTOR.

NO ONE, AT ALL ACQUAINTED WITH THE SYSTEM OF TEACHING PRACTICED IN THIS DEPARTMENT, CAN FAIL TO UNDERSTAND THE THOROUGHNESS OF THE YOUNG LADIES IN THESE BRANCHES SO OFTEN TOTALLY NEGLECTED IN FEMALE EDUCATION, OR, AT THE BEST, THROUGH THE APATHY OF THE TEACHER AND THE DESPAIR OF THE PUPIL, BUT VERY SUPERFICIALLY PURSUED FROM BEGINNING TO END. THE EXAMINATION IN CHEMISTRY WAS, AS EVER, BRILLIANT AND SUCCESSFUL THROUGHOUT. WE HAVE NEVER, IN ANY COLLEGE, MALE OR FEMALE, WITNESSED AN EXAMINATION UPON THIS COMPLEX AND DIFFICULT STUDY, SUCH READINESS OF RESPONSE OR SUCH EASY AND GRACEFUL MANIPULATION IN PRACTICAL EXPERIMENT. THIS CLASS IS UNDER THE PERSONAL CHARGE OF THE PRINCIPAL.

OF THE ESSAYS OF THE GRADUATING CLASS, WE HAVE TIME ONLY TO SAY THAT THEY WERE CHARACTERIZED BY SOLID SENSE, A GRACEFUL STYLE, AND CLEAR, DISTINCT, AND IMPRESSIVE DELIVERY. OF THESE LADIES, MISS GRUBBS READ THE SALUTORY, MISS ALDERSON, THE

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### Clipoen Society.

Address to the Clipoen Society, and Miss Hocker, the valedictory.

The musical pieces, which were interspersed between the classes throughout the whole examination, and those especially which were presented during the commencement exercises of Monday evening and Thursday, were, for beauty of selection and skillfulness of execution, of a character that fitly sustained the reputation of the young ladies, and of Prof. Kinkle, their talented instructor. Prof. Kinkle was very fortunate in preparing a programme, attractive both to the lover of refined and elegant music of a more popular cast, and to the critical amateur of the more intricate and difficult productions belonging to the higher regions of the art.

OF THE LATTER CLASS, MANY WERE FROM THE PENS OF THE GREAT MASTERS OF THE PROFESSION, AND IN THEIR EXECUTION, THE YOUNG LADIES EXHIBITED AN UNUSUALLY APPRECIATIVE SENSE, OF EVEN THE MOST DELICATE SHADES OF BEAUTY AND POWER IN THEIR RESPECTIVE PIECES.

WE ARE SORRY THAT OUR NOTES ARE MADE COMPLETE AS REGARDS THE INSTRUMENTAL PERFORMANCES OF THE PUPILS, BUT WITHOUT INTENDING ANYTHING LIKE INVIDIOUSNESS. WE WISH TO MENTION IN TERMS OF SPECIAL PRAISE THE NAMES OF SOME FEW OF THE MANY ACCOMPLISHED STUDENTS IN THE MUSICAL DEPARTMENT.

IN THE "WHISPERING WINDS," BY WOLLENHAUPT, MISS MARY JOHNSON DISPLAYED A SENSITIVE YET POWERFUL TOUCH, A CLEAR AND REFINED DELIVERY, AND ALTOGETHER A PURE, POLISHED, AND ELEGANT EXECUTION.

IN THE "THIRD MEDITATION," BY JAELL, MISS ANNIE ROGERS EVINced GREAT DELICACY, EASY STRENGTH AND CERTAINLY AS WELL AS GOOD CONCEPTION.

MISSSES LOCKWOOD, TAYLOR, SHARP, BIRCH, REED, CAGE, AND ALL THE REMAINDER DISPLAYED IN THEIR PERFORMANCES UPON THE PIANO, THE ATTAINMENT OF A RARE DEGREE OF EXCELLENCE AS REGARDS EXECUTION AND EXPRESSION, AND IN GENERAL ALL THAT GOES TO MAKE UP A COMPLETE AND ELEVATED MUSICAL EFFECT.

IN THE "FAIRIES OF THE HILL," BY ROSSIUS, THE "OVERTURE TO WM. TELL," FOR TWO PIANOS AND FOUR PERFORMERS, HAS BEEN BUT Seldom RENDERED WITH SUCH FINISHED SUCCESS AS ON THIS OCCASION, BY THE PUPILS OF PROF. KINKLE.

IN THE VOCAL SOLOS, DUETS, AND CHORUSES, ONE COULD NOT FAIL TO OBSERVE THE RICHNESS, CLEARNESS, AND REMARKABLE PRECISION OF TONE AND UTTERANCE CHARACTERIZING THE DIFFERENT VOICES. MISS JENNIE BARCLAY HAS A MOST ADMIRABLE VOICE, THE FULLNESS AND PURITY OF WHICH WOULD OF THEMSELVES ATTRACT THE EAR AND AROUSE THE SYMPATHY OF AN AUDIENCE. MISS PARKER, WITH UNUSUAL SWEETNESS OF TONE, COMBINES GREAT NATURAL SENSIBILITY TO THE TRUE SPIRIT OF MUSIC, AND LEFT UPON THE HEARER THE IMPRESSION NOT ONLY OF A CULTIVATED ADEPT IN THE ART, BUT OF A NATURAL LOVER OF BEAUTY AND HARMONY. MISS ANNIE COLVIN HAS WHAT IS TECHNICALLY CALLED A MEZZO SOPRANO VOICE, RICH AND WARM, AND FULL THROUGHT—INCLINED TO BE A LITTLE HUSKY IN THE CONTRALO REGION—BUT BEAUTIFULLY BRIGHT, CLEAR AND LIQUID IN THE HIGHER TONES.

IN THE "FAIRIES OF THE HILL," THE SOLOS WERE PERFORMED WITH SURPASSING SWEETNESS AND EFFECT—WHILE THE CHORUS, WITH MAJESTY OF THE SWEEPING STORM, WOULD RISE IN HEIGHT AND GRANDEUR UPON THE EAR AND THEN DIE AWAY WITH ITS MIGHTY TRIO OF SOUND TO THE SOFTNESS OF THE PLAYFUL ZEPHYR.

BUT WE CAN PARTICULARIZE NO LONGER. IT IS NOT IN THE WORDS OF MERE FLATTERY, BUT IN THE SPIRIT OF SIMPLE TRUTHFULNESS THAT WE AFFIRM IN COMPAS OF VOICE, EASE, FLEXIBILITY, GRACE, BEAUTY, POWER—IN ALL THAT CONSTITUTES EXCELLENCE OF VOCAL CULTURE, THE PUPILS OF SCIENCE HILL ARE UNPASSED BY THOSE OF ANY INSTITUTION IN THE LAND.

IN THE DUTIES OF HIS DEPARTMENT, PROF. KINKLE HAS MET WITH A SUCCESS NOT INFERIOR TO THAT WHICH HAS CROWNED HIS EFFORTS AS ONE OF THE MOST POPULAR MUSICAL COMPOSERS OF THE COUNTRY; AND PARENTS MAY WELL CONGRATULATE THEMSELVES THAT THEIR DAUGHTERS ENJOY THE INSTRUCTIONS OF ONE SO WELL QUALIFIED BOTH BY TALENTS AND BY ENERGY TO GUIDE THEM TO SOLID KNOWLEDGE IN A BRANCH OF EDUCATION IN WHICH A MERE ORNAMENTAL DISPLAY IS SO OFTEN SUBSTITUTED FOR SUBSTANTIAL REQUIREMENTS.

E. S.

SHELBYVILLE, KY., July 3, 1866.

MR. EDITOR:—Please announce through your columns, that I am no longer a candidate for the office of County Judge of Shelby county. That I am, and ever expect to be, a Democrat, so long as there is any Democracy.

HELDING THESE VIEWS, I ADVOCATED THE CLAIMS OF R. R. BOLLING FOR CLERK OF THE COURT OF APPEALS, AS TRUE A DEMOCRAT AS THERE IS IN THE STATE, AND AS HE HAS DECLINED TO MAKE THE RACE, AND AS A MAN OF A DIFFERENT POLITICAL COMPLEXION, BEEN ANNOUNCED WHOSE VIEWS I CANNOT ENDORSE.—THAT I HOPE MY FRIENDS WILL EXCUSE ME FOR WITHDRAWING FROM THE RACE, AND LEAVING IT TO SOME WHO WILL BE MORE ACCEPTABLE TO THE HOBSON PARTY.

MANLY THANKS TO MY FRIENDS, (AND THEY ARE NUMEROUS,) FOR THEIR PROFFERED SUPPORT AND WITH A HOPE FOR THE SUCCESS OF THE NATIONAL DEMOCRACY, AND THE RESTORATION OF THE UNION. I DECLINE TO MAKE RACE. YOURS RESPECTFULLY.

CASS. J. HINKLE.

SHELBYVILLE, KY., July 3, 1866.

MR. EDITOR:—PERSONAL CONSIDERATIONS HAVE INDUCED ME TO WITHDRAW MY NAME AS A CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY CLERK, AT THE AUGUST ELECTION.

TO MY NUMEROUS FRIENDS, I WOULD RETURN THANKS FOR THE ENCOURAGEMENT OFFERED. VERY RESPECTFULLY, YOUR OBEDIENT SERVANT.

D. N. SHARP.

A NUMBER OF AGRICULTURISTS IN CAMDEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY, HAVE INVESTED OVER TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS IN THE CULTIVATION OF TOMATOES, FROM WHICH THEY INTEND TO MANUFACTURE VINEGAR. HUNDREDS OF ADDITIONAL ACRES OF GROUND WILL BE PLANTED THIS YEAR FOR THAT PURPOSE.

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For the Shelby Sentinel.

AT HOME, JUNE 30, 1866.

EDITOR SHELBY SENTINEL:—PERMIT ME, THOUGH RATHER LATE, TO GIVE YOU A HEARTY GREETING. I WAS TRULY GLAD TO HEAR OF AN EFFORT BEING MADE TO PUBLISH A NEWSPAPER IN OUR BEAUTIFUL VILLAGE, AND FORTHWITH FORWARDED MY NAME. OUR COUNTY IS THE FOURTH IN POINT OF WEALTH IN THE STATE. IT IS PERHAPS SECOND TO NONE IN REFINEMENT, MORALS SOCIAL INTERCOURSE AND CHRISTIAN HOSPITALITY. WHY THEN CANNOT A GOOD COUNTY PAPER LIVE AND FLOURISH IN OUR MIDST? IF THE NEWS AND INCIDENTS, OF THE COUNTY WERE CHRONICLED AS THEY OCCUR, AND FORWARDED TO YOU FOR INSERTION, IT WOULD MAKE YOURS A NEWSPAPER IN FACT, AND ITS WEEKLY VISITS GLADLY WELCOMED. FOR WHAT IS A NEWSPAPER, BUT A PAPER CONTAINING NEWS? AND THAT OF THE COUNTY SHOULD AND CERTAINLY WOULD BE DESIRED BY ITS INHABITANTS.

AN ITEM WORTHY OF NOTICE TOOK PLACE

LAST NIGHT AT BURKS BRANCH CHURCH. IT WAS THE CLOSING SCENE OF MISS LUTE REYNOLDS' SCHOOL. WE ARRIVED AT THE HOUSE ABOUT 8 O'CLOCK, AND FOUND IT CLOSELY FILLED. THE EXERCISES HAD COMMENCED AND WERE CONTINUING WITH BUT ONE SHORT INTERMISSION UP TO 12 O'CLOCK. DIALOGUES, DECLAMATIONS, AND ESSAYS, INTERSPERSED WITH SINGING BY THE CLASS, CONSTITUTED THE EXERCISES.

I HAVE WITNESSED THE LIKE BY OLDER AND LARGER SCHOOLS, AND CAN TRULY SAY

## Advertis. ments.

### 2500 NEW & 125

FOR the bold and impudent, known in this country as Samuel D. Cobb; he is thirty-two years old, weight about 180 pounds; high forehead, black hair, slightly grey, round and rather coquettish; hair, which was made by a hook bite last winter, walks slightly lame and awkwardly. When he left, had full whiskers trimmed, and upper lip shaved; was dressed in black cloth coat and pants, and blue duster, cloth hat, blue shirt and light vest. He carried with him a fine hunting-sabre, gold watch, No. 16, which was made by P. S. Barber, in Shelbyville. The said Cobb represents himself being a Virginian, but has been raiding North during the late war—in the States of Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania and New York. Any information of the said Cobb, prior to October, 1865, will be thankfully received, and the above reward will be paid to any person or persons who will apprehend and bring the said Cobb to any prison in the United States; so that he may be brought to Kentucky for trial for theft and swindling. He is evidently living under an assumed name. The last news we have of the said Cobb, he was at R. R. Allen's livery stable, in Lexington, Ky., on the 12th inst.; we believe he left there on the evening train for Cincinnati. All communications addressed to Shelbyville Sentinel office. Shelbyville, Ky., June 28th, 1866.

THOS. H. WELLS.

**WM. M. SHARRARD.**



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ENGLISH, SWISS AND AMERICAN  
Watches, in Gold and Silver Cases. Clocks,  
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Jewelry, &c., for sale at lowest prices for CASH ex-  
clusively.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired in the best  
manner. Old gold and Silver taken in exchange for  
goods.

July 4-3m.

GEO. ROWDEN.

### NOTICE.

AS I expect to leave Shelbyville in a few weeks, I  
take this opportunity of returning my grate-  
ful acknowledgements to my many very kind friends  
and late patrons; and say to those who have not set-  
tled their accounts, that I will be at or near my old  
stand, or Mr. John F. Chinn's, on Court day next, at  
which time I hope this notice will not be neglect-  
ed, as it will be a saving of expenses to me or to them.

Very respectfully,

GEO. ROWDEN.

### STRAYED.

FROM the farm of Mrs. Jane Howell, below Shel-  
byville, an Iron Grey Horse, five years old.  
A liberal reward will be given for the horse, or infor-  
mation concerning him.

July 4-4f.

GEO. S. HOWELL.

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July 4.

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of the best material and done by competent workmen.  
He solicits a share of public patronage, feeling assured  
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June 6, 1866.

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IS the place to get good bargains in **Dry Goods**,

**Boots and Shoes, Hats and Clothing.**

They have not advanced on **GOODS**, with the rise  
elsewhere. The friends and public are respectfully in-  
vited.

JONES & SMITH

June 6 1866.

**6 HOGSHEADS of Brown and Refined Sugar in  
barrels, for sale by G. & S.**

**A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF GROCER-  
IES, just received and bought before the rise.**

G. & S.

### Miscellaneous.

J. T. HASTINGS.

A. HOLLENBACH.

**HASTINGS & HOLLENBACH,**

**CONFECTIERS, GROCERS**

**—AND—**

**DEALERS IN**

**FANCY GOODS**

**—AND—**

**NOTIONS**

North Side Main Street, Between 5th & 6th.

**SHELBYVILLE, KY.,**

WHERE can be found at all times, a large &  
well selected stock of choice Goods, consisting  
in part of

**Assorted and  
French,  
Candies,  
Foreign  
Fruits,  
Nuts,  
Cigars,  
Tobacco,  
Pipes,  
Snuff,  
Fancy  
Groceries,  
Coal Oil,  
Syrups,  
Flavoring  
Extracts,  
Wines,  
Wooden &  
Willow  
Ware,  
Stationery,  
Perfumery,  
Toilet Goods,  
Soaps,  
Walking Canes,  
&c., &c., &c.,**

### Local Items.

**PAY UP.**—Mr. George Rowden intends  
leaving town, and desires those indebted  
to him to square accounts immediately.

**TRADE PALACE.**—Ladies, you will find  
it profitable to your interests and just to  
your taste to buy your goods at this new  
Louisville establishment.

**PUBLIC SPEAKING.**—Hon. Robt. Mal-  
lory, T. B. Cochran and Boyd Winchester  
Esq., will address the people of Shelby  
county, at the Court House, in Shelbyville,  
next County Court day.

**HON. AARON HARDING**, our able repre-  
sentative in Congress, has placed us under  
many obligations for quite a number of  
valuable public documents, for which he  
has our thanks.

**HORSE STRAYED.**—Mr. George Howell  
advertises for a horse strayed from his  
mother's farm. He will give a liberal re-  
ward for the horse, or for information con-  
cerning him.

**A NICE TIME.**—We are told that the  
Pie Nic at Taylor's Woods, was a very  
pleasant affair, passing off splendidly, and  
to the satisfaction of all present. It is  
doubtless but the forerunner of many  
more such.

**DEMOCRATIC BARBECUE.**—There will  
be an old fashioned Kentucky Democratic  
Barbecue, the 12th of July, at Bagdad.  
It is expected that Hon. D. W. Vorhees of  
Indiana, and Hon. Robert Mallory, T. B.  
Cochran, P. U. Majors, J. B. Beck,  
will be present. Every body is invited.

**THE AMERICAN ARTISAN.**—This excel-  
lent publication is upon our table. We  
take pleasure in calling attention to its  
merits, as a valuable industrial Journal.  
Brown, Coombs, & Co., Publishers, New  
York City.

**SILVER WATCHES.**—A Woodford farmer informs the Frank-  
fort Yeoman, that he made more than \$200  
per acre on some land that he sowed in  
hemp last year.

**COL. PHIL LEE**, late of the 2d Ky Lewis  
Brigade, Confederate army, was married  
to Miss Belle Bridgeford, of Louisville,  
Ky., on Tuesday evening, June 26th.

**JUST AS A NEGRO** was about ascending the  
scald to be hung, in Clayton, Alabama,  
on the 18th, a commutation of the sentence  
to ten years' imprisonment was received  
from the Governor. Rather a close thing.

**TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR.**—Our paper  
like all others contains some errors in typog-  
raphy occasionally, which are not so  
glaring as to require mention.

The type last week made us locate the  
Shelbyville Female College upon "a gassy  
eminence," when, grassy was meant. Such  
mistakes will occur in the best regulated  
newspapers.

**BRICK POMEROY.**—We are in receipt of  
the La Cross Democrat, Edited by M. M.  
Pomero. It is a spicy sheet, containing  
on the Fenian question. It now says that  
the Canadian expedition shows the bitter  
enmity of the Irish against England. It  
warns the Canadians against shooting the  
Fenian prisoners, and assures them that if  
they put them to death a work of retaliation  
will be commenced that will cause the  
stoutest heart to quail.

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**THORNTON & ROGERS**

WOULD RESPECTFULLY CALL THE AT-  
TION of the ladies of Shelbyville and County, to their  
large and beautiful stock of **NEW GOODS**, con-  
sisting in part of

**Black Lace Points, and Circulairs,**

**White Lace Points and Circulairs,**

**CLUNY LACES, (a new article),**

**Valenciennes Laces and Insertings,**

**Point Applique Laces and Insertings,**

**All Kinds of Laces,**

**Embroidered Flounce,**

**Jaconet and Swiss Edgings and**

**Insertings,**

**Hosiery, Gloves, Hankerchiefs, and**

**Veils of all styles and qualities,**

**Parasols, Umbrellas and Showerets,**

**Real French and German Corsets,**

**Fans, Lace Handkerchiefs, Sets and**

**Collars, WHITE GOODS, &c., &c.,**

all of which will be sold very low by

**THORNTON & ROGERS,**

105 Jefferson St., bet. Third and Fourth,  
Louisville, Ky.

**Science Hill**

**FEMALE ACADEMY.**

THE EIGHTY-FOURTH SESSION  
of this institution will open on Mon-  
day Sept. 3d 1866. Applications for  
admission should be early and definite.

MRS. JULIA A. TEVIS, Principal.

June 20, 1866—In.

**FOR SALE.**

**SADDLE AND HARNESS HORSES.**

I HAVE FOR SALE TWO PAIR OF HAR-  
NESS horses, an extra fine saddle horse, to which I  
would invite the attention of those wishing to purchase.  
I can be seen at Mr. JOHN ROBINSON'S near  
town on the Louisville pike.

WILLIAM GIBSON.

June 26, 1866.

**FOR SALE.**

14 Acres of Land well locat-

ed. Five miles from Shelbyville, well wooded and wa-<

**SOMETHING ABOUT FRUIT.**—If he who causes a blade of grass to grow where none grew before, is a benefactor to his species, what may be said of him who plants an orchard of fine fruits?

He who plants a tree, must possess at least two qualities of the human mind—faith and benevolence;—faith to think that he will reap the “reward of his labor,” and benevolence to believe if he does not, at least some one will be benefited thereby.

A few years ago having a suitable piece of ground, I was induced to plant it in standard pears. Some of my neighbors, (I blush to say it,) thought that at “my time of life,” it was a very unwise undertaking, as in all probability, I would never receive any benefit therefrom. With no thanks to them, but with gratitude to the Supreme Being, in whose hands our lives are, I have lived to eat and enjoy the fruit thereof.

Sir Walter Scott’s advice was—“Plant a tree; it is growing while you are asleep.”

Stephen Gerard, the celebrated banker, is reputed to have said—“Were I certain of dying to-morrow, I would plant a tree today.”

It is in the power of the American farmer if so disposed, to entertain his friends with a bill of fare superior to that enumerated in the invitation of the poet farmer of antiquity to his friend Mæcenas, the prime minister of the august Augustus Caesar. When the greatest of American orators, Daniel Webster, was asked by a student at law if there was any chance for success in the higher department of his profession, his reply was: “My young friend, there is plenty room there.” It is so with cultivating fine fruit; none need be apprehensive of over-stocking the market with that commodity, for which there is an increasing demand, and which will continue to increase so long as *good taste* is characteristic of American people.

**HOW TO MAKE GOOD BUTTER.**—A lady experienced in making butter says: Before I go to milk, I put a kettle, say one third full of water, and large enough to let the milk-pail into it on the stove, where it will get boiling hot by the time I come in with the milk. I then strain the milk into another vessel, and wash the pail (which should always be of tin), then pour the milk back into the pail and set it into the kettle of boiling water till the milk becomes scalding hot, taking care not to let it boil; then pour it into pans and set it away in the cellar for the cream to rise in the usual way. Cream produced in this way seldom require more than twenty minutes to churn, while by common practice the dairy maid may often churn for hours, and then, perhaps, have to throw it away, as I did before I became acquainted with the Russian plan, the essential features of which I have adopted in my present mode, as given above. The method is applicable to all seasons—summer as well as winter.

**MILK FEVER IN COWS.**—We lost, a few months since, a fine cow with this disease, and there has been considerable fatality with it in some of our large dairy districts. A practical farmer informs us that, in his own dairy, he has found nearly a certain cure to be a large dose of laudanum, not less than six to eight ounces. It has also proved very successful in many other cases outside of his own dairy. With our own cow—and we believe it is a general accompaniment of the disease—there was a violent dashing about with the head and horns, indicating great excitement of the brain. The laudanum alleviates this, and by temporarily checking this excitement, allows time for the disease to be thrown off by the natural efforts of the system. Whatever may be the theory of its action, however, the favorable results in nine cases out of ten have been very remarkable.—*Rural Advertiser.*

**FALL PLOWING CLAY LANDS.**—Our farmers are learning one very important thing in farming our clay lands; that is, fall plowing, if done at the right time and well done. Although it does not accord with the views of our exemplars, yet experience has taught us its great benefit.

No machinery yet invented can fine our clay land like the frost of winter. I can convince any one if they will only look on a piece of barley here, part fall plowed and part plowed this spring. But the benefit to the crop is not all; we can plow for one-half the cost in the fall. Our teams are in good condition, and ready, with a small expense, for feed. I close; and may say more on the subject of plowing some other time, as that is a very important part of farming.—*N. H. N., General, N. Y.*

**HOW TO KILL CATERPILLARS.**—Now is the time to kill caterpillars or worms on the apple trees, while they are small, and have not spread themselves all over your orchards. They may be discovered by the white silken web which they are forming for their nests, and may now be killed with a very little trouble, by taking a long pole which will reach all the limbs of the trees. Tie some tow, or old rope, on the end of the pole, and saturate it with kerosene, and then set fire to it; you may soon clear your trees of the worms by burning them out, with very little trouble.

**PASTURAGE OF COWS.**—It is well known that Cheshire, England, is a great dairy county. This lies not far from Liverpool. Chester, the market town, is perhaps, a dozen or fifteen miles from that city. Most of the land has been underdrained and top-dressed with ground bones, and such land will carry one cow to the acre. Where it has not been top-dressed and drained a cow will require two acres. They use 1,200 to 1,500 weight of bones to the acre about once in seven years. How many acres does it take to keep a cow well in this country? Wouldn’t it pay to bring up our pastures?—*Mass. Plowman.*

**HOW A HOG SWEATS.**—Not like a horse or man, but through his forelegs. There is a spot on each leg, just below the knee, in the form of a sieve; through this the sweat passes off. And it is necessary that this is kept open. If it gets closed, as it is sometimes the case, the hog will get sick; he will appear stiff and cramped—and unless he gets relief it will go hard with him. To cure him, simply open the pores. This is done by rubbing the spot with a corn-cob, and washing with warm water.

**RECENTLY.**—Conventions of the various religious denominations have been held in the several Southern States. At nearly all of these, steps were taken for the education of the freedmen, each sect providing for the religious and secular instruction of the colored members of the church. Among the zealous leaders in this movement is Bishop Quintard of the Episcopal Diocese of Tennessee.

**COAL! COAL!!**—A writer in the New Orleans Christian Advocate says so far as he has ascertained, between one thousand and twelve hundred church houses have been destroyed during the war. These churches, he thinks, have cost the people not less than five millions of dollars. In these losses the Methodist were the greatest sufferers, the Baptist next, and the Presbyterians and Catholics least.

**GENERAL GRANT** has subscribed another five thousand toward the Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal Church in Washington, D. C. Both he and Chief Justice Chase have consented to serve on the Board of Trustees.

**THE WHOLE NUMBER** of Bibles and Testaments issued by the American Bible Society, since its origin, fifty years ago, is 21,409,966, in fifty languages and dialects, and the issues of the last five years are more in number than for the first thirty-five years of the Society’s existence.

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**ON LAST SATURDAY NIGHT** there was taken from my pasture, a small black mastiff—very heavy bone and foretop. No other marks remembered. Any information concerning the mare thankfully received by A. R. SCOTT, Shelbyville, Ky.

**June 13, 1866—4:30.**

**STRAYED OR STOLEN.**—A dog which had been lying quietly on the hearth, arose, and giving the conspirators a look, more in sorrow than in anger, left the house. On a rise of ground not far away he stopped and gave a lingering gaze at the house and vicinity, then plunged into the woods, never to return. He was never seen or heard of afterward.

**A LAWYER** in Lowell, Mass., has a large Newfoundland dog which he prizes highly, and on one occasion took him to a photograph saloon to sit for a picture. It was found impossible to keep him sufficiently quiet for the purpose, and after several trials the idea was given up, and the dog taken home, where he received a sharp reprimand for bad behavior. On the following day the dog proceeded alone to the same saloon, and took a suitable place to be photographed, while the artist, understanding the seeming purpose of the animal, secured an excellent picture, when the creature jogged home apparently greatly relieved.

**—STATESMAN.**—Bishop Quintard of the

Episcopal Diocese of Tennessee, writing in

the *Statesman*, says: “I have written to

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